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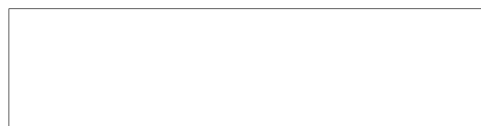
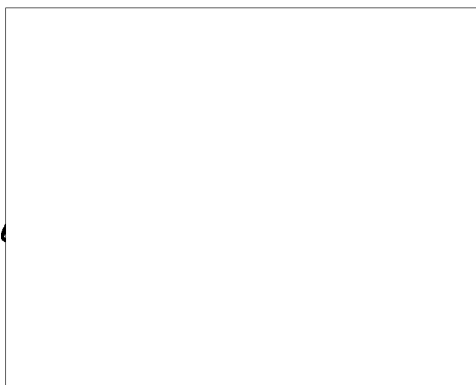
MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence
Deputy Director of Central Intelligence

SUBJECT: Report on a Study of Intelligence Judgments
Preceding Significant Historical Failures:
The Hazards of Single-Outcome Forecasting

1. Submitted herewith is the subject report, responding to your request.

2. In this report we have attempted to determine the causes, in instances when the Intelligence Community did not adequately anticipate significant events on the world scene, and to identify measures which might improve performance in the future.

3. In addition to yourselves, we have sent this report only to the Chairman, National Intelligence Council. Should you wish further distribution, we would be pleased to follow up as needed.



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